



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 1656**
Kunihiko KODAKA : Attorney Docket No. 2003_1777A
Serial No. 10/733,627 : Group Art Unit 1651
Filed December 12, 2003 : Examiner Susan M. Hanley
METHOD FOR PRODUCING AMINO : **Mail Stop: AF**
ACID COMPONENTS BY ENZYMATIC
HYDROLYSIS OF FISH EGG SKIN

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED
TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE
FEES FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT
ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE UNDER 37.CFR1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 1651

Sir:

Responsive to the final Office Action of February 7, 2007, the time for responding thereto being extended for one month in accordance with a Petition for Extension of Time submitted herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows: